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Record-keeping form required for customary trade of salmon in Bristol Bay

KING SALMON – This is a reminder to subsistence fishers in the Bristol Bay Region. Federal regulations governing customary trade require that any cash exchanges with non-rural residents be recorded on a customary trade record-keeping form. Federal regulations also set a \$400 limit on the amount of salmon that may be exchanged annually for each household. These regulations apply only to salmon harvested from waters under Federal subsistence jurisdiction.

Customary trade record-keeping forms may be obtained at U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service offices in King Salmon, Dillingham, Lake Clark National Park Headquarters in Port Alsworth, and the Office of Subsistence Management in Anchorage. For more information, contact the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service Field Office in King Salmon at (907) 246-3442, the Togiak National Wildlife Refuge in Dillingham at (907) 842-1063, the Lake Clark National Park Service Headquarters in Port Alsworth at (907) 781-2218 or the Office of Subsistence Management in Anchorage at 1-800-478-1456.

Federal customary trade regulations do not preempt State or Federal laws regarding the processing and sale of food for human consumption. All foods sold for human consumption must comply with State and Federal food safety laws.